

APPENDICES

Egyptian and Indonesian Communists must proceed in advance of all. they must fight more determinedly, more consistently and more resolute!-; thin any petty bourgeois section or national-revolutionary group. Of course. this fight must not be waged for the organising of any kind of putsch or nren:-ture attempt at a rising on the part of the small revolutionary minority, but for the purpose of organising the widest possible strata of the masses of toilers in demonstrations and other manifestations so that in this way the active participation of these masses can be guaranteed for a vicarious up-rising at a further stage of the revolutionary struggle.

At the same time, it is no less important mercilessly :o expose "before :he toiling masses the national-reformist character of the Swarajist, ^{T.Vafdi5:} ir.i other nationalist parties, and in particular of their leaders. It is neces-arv to expose their half-heartedness and vacillation in the national strui.crle, their bargainings and attempts to reach a compromise with British im-perialism, their previous capitulations and counter-revolutionary advances. their reactionary resistance to the class demands of the proletariat and peasantry, their empty nationalist-phraseology, their dissemination of harzi-ful illusions about the peaceful decolonisation of the country and their sabotage in relation to the application of revolutionary methods in ±e national-emancipatory struggle.

It is necessary to reject the formation of any kind of bloc betwetn the Communist Party and the national-reformist opposition; this does not ex-clude the formation of temporary agreements and the coordinating of separate activities in connection with definite arid-imperialist demcnstra-tions, provided that the demonstrations of the bourgeois opposition can be utilised for the development of the mass movement, and provided that these agreements do not in any way limit the freedom of the Communist Parties in the matter of agitation among the masses and among the organisations of the latter. Of course, in this work the Communists must know how at the same time to carry on the most relentless ideological and political strug-gle against bourgeois nationalism and against the slightest signs of its in-fluence inside the labour movement. In such cases, the

Communist Party
must take particular care not only to maintain its
complete political inde-
pendence and to make quite clear its own character, but
also, on the basis
of facts, to open the eyes of the masses of toilers who are
under the in-
fluence of the bourgeois opposition, so that they will perceive
ail the hopeless-
ness of this opposition and the danger of the bourgeois
democratic illusions
that it disseminates.

24. An incorrect estimation of the chief tendency of the
parties of lie big
national bourgeoisie gives rise to the danger of an
incorrect estimation of
the character and role of the petty bourgeois parties. The
development of
these parties, as a general rule, follows a course from the
national-
revolutionary to the national-reformist position. Even such
movements as
Sun Yat-seuism in China, Gandhism in India, Sarekat Islam
in Indonesia,